GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
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REVENUE EARNED FROM POSTAL CIRCLES
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the total amount of revenue earned by the Government from various postal circles during the last three years;

(b) the year-wise and circle-wise details thereof;

(c) whether the revenue earning has been decreasing year by year;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(e) the effective steps taken/proposed to be taken to improve the revenue earning from various postal services?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (DR. SHAKEEL AHMAD)

(a) The total revenue earned during the last three years is as follows:

2001-02 Rs. 3697.11 crores
2002-03 Rs. 4009.65 crores
2003-04 Rs. 4256.93 crores

(b) Circle wise details are given in Annexure.

(c) No, it is not decreasing.

(d) & (e) Does not arise in view of (c) above.

ANNEXURE
REVENUE RECEIPTS

(Rs. In Crores)

Sl. No.	Name of Circle	2001-2002	2002-2003	2003-2004
1	Andhra	161.05	187.01	190.34
2	Assam	21.13	23.00	22.18
3	Bihar	36.39	33.78	40.30
4	Base	24.72	26.26	28.37
5	Delhi	225.13	204.92	206.98
5	Gujarat	118.60	128.97	137.31
6	Haryana	38.20	44.89	52.84
7	Himachal	21.80	25.54	26.28
8	J&K	13.74	13.97	15.56
9	Karnataka	151.59	179.67	175.23
10	Kerala	160.2	179.15	176.45
11	Maharashtra	418.37	465.56	502.31
12	Madhya Pradesh	39.05	42.68	44.78
13	North East	15.02	19.51	18.19
14	Orissa	33.01	36.39	35.43
15	Punjab	75.89	86.11	88.67
16	Rajasthan	72.62	85.8	84.63
17	Tamil Nadu	266.2	301.77	313.37
18	Uttar Pradeh	129.76	138.63	147.41
19	West Bengal	103.77	114.06	111.32
20	Chhattisgarh	30.02	36.16	34.79
21	JharkKhand	18.47	18.21	19.61
22	Uttaranchal	20.46	24.67	23.83

23	Head Quarter	1501.92	1592.94	1760.75
Total		3697.11	4009.65	4256.93

Annual Adjustments outside the Book of RBI is classified against Headquarter.